UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

GATEGUARD, INC.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

MVI SYSTEMS LLC et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:19-cv-02472 (JLR)

**ORDER** 

JENNIFER L. ROCHON, United States District Judge:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that counsel for Defendants MVI Systems LLC, Samuel Taub, and MVI Industries, LLC, contact Ari Teman, a representative of Plaintiff GateGuard, Inc., to determine whether mediation through the Court-Annexed Mediation Program would be productive. If so, the parties must contact the Mediation Program by **August 4, 2025**. If no contact is made by that time, the Court will withdraw the mediation referral.

In addition, representations have been made to the Court that Defendants recently terminated their counsel, Adam Engel, in the arbitration proceeding. Dkt. 224; Dkt. 224-2 at 2 (email from Defendant Taub to Plaintiff's former counsel representing that Taub is "not currently represented by counsel"). However, no motion to withdraw has been made before this Court as required. Counsel for Defendants are directed to file a letter not to exceed three (3) pages on or before **July 28, 2025**, indicating the status of Defendants' representation.

Dated: July 22, 2025

New York, New York

SO ORDERED

VENNIFER L. ROCHON

United States District Judge